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In re Application of: Isherwood )  
 Application No.: 09/971,115 )  
 Filed: October 4, 2001 )  
 For: Method and System for Sharing )  
 End User Information on a Network )  
 ) Group Art Unit: 2154  
 ) Examiner: Viet Duy Vu  
 ) Attorney Docket No. 52555-5012

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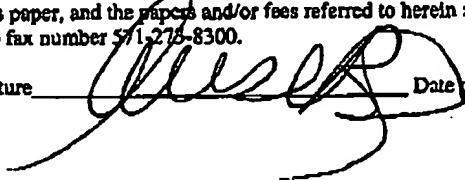
In response to the Office Action mailed May 11, 2005, the period for response to which ends August 11, 2005, the Applicants hereby respond as follows:

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application prior to the examination thereof as follows:

On page 1, before the first full paragraph, please insert the following paragraph:

This application claims priority to United States Provisional Application No.

60/252,906 filed November 27, 2000 and is a continuation-in-part of United States Patent

now pat. No. 6,448,979; now abandoned;

Application Nos. 09/236,176 filed January 25, 1999, 09/310,355 filed May 12, 1999, and

now pat. No. 6,546,418

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